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HIGHWAY AS CROW FLIES

COMMISSION ANNOUNCES FINAL SETTLEMENT AS TO ROUTE OF ENTERING COVINA.

Condition Imposed is that Right of Way from El Monte Shall Not Exceed $3500.

The Los Angeles County Highway Commission has announced that it will build the Covina road a direct air line. Leaving the Los Angeles and Pomona road at El Monte they will parallel the Pacific Electric tracks on the south to a point at Main street, Baldwin Park; from thence they will run in a southeasterly direction to the present terminus of the San Bernardino Road and follow the San Bernardino Road to Citrus avenue, turning north at that point. There will be one condition imposed on the people; that will be that the right of way to be secured at El Monte shall not exceed $3,500 to the commission. Any amount over that must be paid by the people.

A call has been issued to all parties interested, to meet at the offices of the Chamber of Commerce tonight at 7:30 o'clock to take up this matter.

The final settlement as to where the road would enter Covina was reached on Wednesday, and the advocates of the San Bernardino Road are to be congratulated. Now that the smoke of battle has cleared away, these gentlemen will find that the advocates of Puente street will be shoulder to shoulder with those of the San Bernardino Road in seeking the early construction of the road. The commissioners at their meeting on Wednesday stated that they expected to be able to commence the work within the next 120 days, or as soon as their San Dimas quary was in shape to deliver stone. It is estimated that the bridge crossing the San Gabriel river will cost in the neighborhood of $30,000.00.

The commission is doing a great deal of construction work at this time, as shown by the following streets and roads now being improved:

Vermont avenue is practically closed to travel from Temple street to the mountains.

Wilshire boulevard is being graded and paved between the Preuss road and the Soldiers' Home. Take West Adams street for a run to Venice, the Motordrome, at Playa del Rey, or Ocean Park.

Washington street, from the city limits to Rimpau street, is impassable. Washington street is to be improved to Venice and a handsome boulevard to the sea will be completed.

South Main street, from Athens Heights to Gardena, is to be closed to travel this week with the exception of a strip of highway difficult for automobiles. Central or South Park avenues can be used.

Slauson, Compton and Florence avenues are closed. Work is being done on each.

The old San Bernardino road through Puente is to be torn up. This highway is to be improved between Bassett to Pomona.

The Whittier road, from the city limits of East Whittier, is to be repaired. Work on this stretch will be begun in four weeks.

East First street is to be torn up from the city limits to Monterey Pass road.

Within one week the work on Huntington Drive, from Los Angeles to South Pasadena, is to be advertised and autoists will have to go to Pasadena by way of Highland Park and Garvanza.

Cahuenga Pass road from Hollywood through Cahuenga Pass is under construction. Blasting is going on there, and it is extremely dangerous to pass.

Los Feliz road, from Vermont avenue

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LARK ELLEN IN SWEETEST SONG

PRIMA DONNA DELIGHTS APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCE AT CONCERT.

With Liquid Notes Tames Spirit of Woman's Historic Foe. Artists Applauded.

Ellen Beach Yaw, California's queen of song, was accorded a magnificent reception Monday evening at a concert given in the high school auditorium, under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce. The great singer was never in better voice, and whether in the tenderness of the immortal "Caro Nome," or in the piquant French laughing song from Auber's "Manon Lescaut," she was adequate and satisfying while "Coming Thro' the Rye" received a new meaning from her interpretation. To Covina citizens a feature was Prof. Groom's new song "Memories," which was sung for the first time, Prof. Groom accompanying with violin obligato.

The sensation of the evening was caused by a timid little mouse, which ran across the stage and assumed a sitting posture close to the feet of the fair singer as she was singing the most beautiful portion of the mad scene from "Lucia." It may well be said, "Verily genius doth ever rise to each occasion," for with consummate art the great singer wove the tiny creture's intrusion into the scene. Doubtless Donizetti himself would have applauded this stage setting if he could have conceived that a prima donna would ever have displayed the resourcefulness to make such an incident the complete portrayal of the character that Miss Yaw did. The way she drew her draperies around her will long be remembered by those who saw the scene.

She was assisted in this concert by Jay Plowe, as flutist, and Currier Deming as pianist.

Lest we fall into a snare, through our justifiable pride for our own great soprano, it is well that we do not forget that this program presented three truly great artists. Mr. Jay Plowe more than proved himself worthy of the high company in which he found himself, and it is not too much to say that in Ganne's "Andante and Scherzo," and L'Tourneau's "Melodie" he demonstrated an intelligence and mastery as a flute soloist unsurpassed on the American concert platform, while the highest praise would be inadequate in appreciation of the splendid taste and absolute intuition with which he executed the difficult obligatos.

In Mr. Deming, Miss Yaw has discovered that rare and evasive genius, who is at once the sympathetic accompanist and the splendid piano soloist. It is truly impossible to say in which he excells the most, and we earnestly hope that these three will meet again on a Covina platform.

Our high school girls once more delighted us with two dainty numbers; demonstrating that the music in our schools has been placed in competent hands.

The concert was a success both artistically and financially, and the Chamber of Commerce finds great cause for pride in its production, but this appeal to the finer sense of the community would justify itself, were there not a dollar of gain derived from it

Census Marshal.

F. W. Sherwood has been appointed census marshal for the Covina City and the Covina country precincts.

Jerome Reyrolds has received his appointment for all that portion of Rowland Township outside of the above mentioned precincts.

The Ambition Society will meet tonight at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kats.

CANDIDATE ON AUTO CAMPAIGN

STANTON AND PARTY VISIT COVINA ON POLITICAL TOUR.

After Luncheon, Brief Speeches Are Received With Hearty Applause By Supporting Republicans.

The first big gun in the present gubernatorial fight was fired in Southern California yesterday by Phil. A. Stanton, when he started an automobile tour through the southern counties. Wherever Stanton went he was received with the greatest enthusiasm and there can no longer be any doubt that Stanton will receive almost the unanimous ballot of the Republican voters in Southern California. Every where he went men gathered around him, congratulating him on the magnificent record he had made as Speaker of the last Assembly, and guaranteeing him their earnest and active support.

Yesterday morning with a party of well known business men composed of M. J. Variel, C. T. Hartwell, Judge Charles Noyes, Wm. Wincup, Rev. C. C. Pierce, L. J. C. Spruance W. J. Fishburn, Ira W. Hoganbone, E. P. Allen, J. F. Paulding and Dr. M. M. Dixon, left Los Angeles in three autos and before night they visited Monrovia, Duarte, Azusa, Glendara, Covina, San Dimas Pomona, Ontario, San Bernardino. It was a whirlwind campaign but when night arrived the candidate showed none of the wear and tear that might have been expected from such a strenuous day.

After leaving Covina and before the party reached Azusa they were met by a large delegation from Covina and more than twenty prominent Republicans under the leadership of J. O. Houser and A. R. Evans, the central committeemen of the Covina precincts. This delegation acted as an escort for the party during the greater portion of the day. At Azusa a stop was made at the Foothill Inn and the candidate was at once taken in charge by the prominent Republicans of that city and introduced to the scores of men who sought to meet California's next Governor. From there a quick run was made to Glendora where Stanton, after meeting most of the citizens, spent fifteen minutes in the packing houses, having a pleasant word to say to all the employees.

At Covina the party was entertained at lunch at Hotel Vendome, thirty-six Republicans sitting down to the splendid repast spread by the proprietor, Mr. J. J. Fitzgerald. After lunch short speeches were made by Mr. Stanton and Judge Noyes from an auto on the main business street, the speakers being introducel being introduced by being introduced by Mayor E. H. Lahee of Covina. The speeches were necessarily brief, but from the hearty applause with which Mr. Stanton received, showed that the voters of California can appreciate a straight business talk from a man who, with the aid of no one, has made every venture he has undertaken a success.

The party then visited the Covina Citrus association packing house, where he was introduced to the employees by the manager, Mr. G. N. Atwood. The greatest pleasure of Mr. Stanton's trip yesterday was meeting the laboring men. He is a typical man's man and delights in speaking of the time when by honest manual labor, he earned sufficient capital to start in business for himself. From the Covina Citrus Association he went to the Covina Orange Growers' Association house and was received there by the manager, C. E. Crawford, and escorted through the building, speaking a pleasant word to each one as he passed. The party then left for Pomona.

Stanton's candidacy has all the elements of success. He has announced a platform which has for its base a businesslike conduct of the affairs of state, and the "square deal" is cause

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LIVE NEWS FROM VALLEY POINTS

IRWINDALE.

During the past few weeks a large percentage of the business men of this locality have become interested in the cheap orange land that is being put on the market in Kern and Tulare counties. The opportunities for investment in the Grand View Heights colony, which is a fertile tract recently opened seven miles from Porterville, seems so golden that not one of the investigators from this place failed to purchase after seeing the property. Among those who have invested are: R. S. Edgar, twenty acres; Whymer Brothers, twenty acres; A. Lemon, twenty acres; Neal Morow, twenty acres; Perry Bashore, twenty acres; W. F. Frazier, twenty acres; Milton Zug twenty acres; John Zug, twenty acres; Mathew Matney, ten acres; Blanchard brothers, forty acres; Elmer Morrow, ten acres; Fordyce Wilson, ten acres; G. W. Krum, ten acres of bearing orange grove; Abner Miller, thirty acres. Each of these owners expects to plant his acreage to oranges. Abner Miller, who is the local agent, leaves tonight for Porterville with another party.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reichard this week have been Mrs. William Ferguson, Mrs. Modie, Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Edna Modie of Los Angeles.

The Irwindale Citrus Association has shipped about one hundred cars of navel oranges this season. It is expected that this output will be doubled before the middle of May, when the shipments of navels will close. The association is handling about three cars daily at present.

Mrs. Eliza Unger of Long Beach is visiting friends on Lark Ellen avenue this week.

Mrs. Mayo of Compton was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Amador Coltrin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxfield of Minnesota, who have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Dave Maxfield, for several weeks, have taken a house in Covina where they will remain.

Miss Elizabeth Merritt arrived last Saturday from Duluth, Minn. to visit her sister, Mrs. Edward Speer.

Mrs. Markwell of Long Beach spent a few days this week visiting her sister, Mrs. L. A. Clark.

A. G. Gant and Frank Reynolds of Puente returned this week from Tulare County.

W. C. Sanders of San Dimas has opened a pipe yard on the property of O. D. Sanders of Vincent street.

G. Dittberner returned Wednesday from a business trip to Perris.

Mrs. L. A. Clarke was the guest of Pasadena friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Lunn had as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Comstock and Henry Comstock and daughter of Palo, Michigan.

F. W. Sherwood and wife welcomed a baby daughter to their home on Arroyo Drive last Sunday.

Mrs. Daniel Mead is visiting relatives in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Linton, Miss Ruth Leech, E. R. Coffman, Charles Coffman and Geo. Covert left Tuesday for Kern County to look at the subdivision of orange land in which E. E. Leech and George Covert are interested.

Mrs. Hester Morton, who was well known in this vicinity, died Saturday evening at the home of her son, who resides in Azusa. The funeral service was held Monday. Mrs. George Kellar was a granddaughter of the aged lady.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sanborn returned Tuesday from a four days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sanborn of Glendale.

Ora Gant, who is employed at the C. C. Chapman ranch at Fullerton, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gant of Orange avenue.

Miss Mae Coffman and Miss Leota Coffman are visiting relatives in South Pasadena for a few days.

Mrs. J. W. Groover has been enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Pearl and Miss Anita Pearl of Anguilar, Colorado.

Mrs. A. J. Miller and little son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour of Monrovia.

Miss Margaret Frater of Cadis, Ohio, is the guest this week of Mrs. Mary Grafton.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Anderson returned the first of the week from spending the week end with Los Angeles relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. George [illegible] entertained on Sunday and Monday Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] from the [illegible] India, who are in this country on a furlough.

Mrs. H. [illegible] week end visiting her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Gilmore at Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of Ogden visited Mrs. W. W. Haine last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson of Los Angeles were also guests for a few days this week.

WEST COVINA.

Mr. Deck Smith of Idaho and Mr. L. W. Ball of Los Angeles are the guests of Mrs. Emma Kelly and family.

Miss Ethel Petite, accompanied by her friend, Miss Vere Okel of Los Angeles, spent the Easter vacation at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Rowe.

S. S. Scott has sold his ten acre walnut and alfalfa property to C. A. Bunker of San Dimas for $5,000. Mr. Scott and family give possession in a month.

Mark Hutcheroft and family were called to Los Angeles Saturday by the illness of relatives who became seriously sick while enroute from Oregon to Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson of Sierra Madre were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook of Puente Road Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Mead of Long Beach is visiting her brother, John Mead, and family.

Mrs. Charles Smith returned Tuesday from the Los Angeles hospital, where she has been for the last two weeks. She is greatly improved in health.

Bids for the Irwindale school building were opened last week and the contract awarded to Tyler &Linkletter of Whittier. The firm qualified Friday and work upon the building, which is to cost $4060, will begin at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Puente Road entertained Warren Sleherman of Glendale this week. Mr. Slesherman leaves in a few days for the East.

Josephine, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Izard, who has been seriously ill with the measles for several weeks is convalescing at the family's ranch home here. Mrs. Izard is confined to her home in Los Angeles by the same disease.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mead spent Saturday and Sunday visiting in Long Beach.

M. H. Berry made a business trip to Santa Ana this week.

This week Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dancer entertained the former's brother, Mr. Bert Dancer of El Monte, and Mrs. Dancer's sister, Mrs. Graves of San Jacinto. Mr. Dancer and Mrs. Graves returned this week from San Jose, where they were called by the death of the latter's grandfather.

PUENTE.

Cupid has been holding a regular celebration in this vicinity during the past ten days. The first of the weddings which have created great interest here, occurred March 23, in Los Angeles and united Mr. George Dauer, of the firm of Reynolds & Craig, and Miss Mary Woods of Pomona. On last Saturday Miss Edith Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Reynolds of this place, became the bride of Charles Lofthouse, at the home of the groom's parents in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Lofthouse will make their home at Bassett, where Mr. Lofthouse is employed at signal man for the Southern Pacific Company. Julius Dietzel, son of Mrs. H. Heinze of this place, and Miss Hazel Newman were maried Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents at 437 E. Vernon avenue, Los Angeles. They are making their home in Los Angeles temporarily. Mrs. H. Heinze was among those witnessing the ceremony.

The Merry Makers Club has almost been disbanded by the sudden matrimonial epidemic, all the young ladies being too much absorbed in wedding festivities to attend the club meetings.

Charles Howe, formerly of this place, but more recently of Riverside, spent Monday and Tuesday visiting friends here. Mr. Howe has moved to Perris, where he purchased a forty acre alfalfa ranch.

A. Ernaga is building a pretty cottage on the lot which he recently purchased of G. Bidart. The property lies on Third street near Rowland avenue.

A. G. Clabaugh, manager of the Puente lumber yard, bought this week a lot belonging to G. Bidart. Mr. Clabaugh will build a home on this property and as soon as it is completed the family will move from Pasadena. [illegible] Cross sold to D. Oxarat a lot just south of the [illegible] $200. Mr. Oxarat will build an attractive bungalow on the property.

The rainfall at Puente during the month of March was 2.93 inches.

A class of twenty-five took their first communion at St. Joseph's church last Sunday. A large crowd attended the Easter mass, in spite of the rain.

BALDWIN PARK

Rev. William Stevenson, who has been seriously ill with la grippe for the past three weeks, is now able to be out of doors.

W. H. Elwell, Dr. Deitrich and G. Dodson left Monday to inspect government land.

A petition praying the officials of the Pacific Electric Company to appoint a station between Baldwin Park and Valley View is being circulated and will be submitted to the company in a few days. The crossing will be known as La Rico Station.

A good flow of water has been obtained at the Wheeler and Stewart well south of here. A depth of forty-five feet has been reached.

Mrs. Earl Dowell of Bellefountain, Ohio, who is spending the winter with her parents at Monrovia, visited last week with her cousin, Mrs. William Stevenson. Speer Stevenson of Los Angeles was also a week end guest at the Stevenson home.

CHARTER OAK.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Catlow and daughter from Evanston, Ill., are visiting at the Kent home for a few days this week.

Mr. Smith, who bought the old Red Head place, is building a barn and will soon begin a house.

Mr. H. C. Mace spent Friday visiting friends in Long Beach.

Mrs. H. O. Mace left the latter part of the week for Maricopa, where she will spend two weeks with her sister.

Mrs. Green and Miss Minnie Smith of Brookfield, Vermont, are spending a few days at the Stowell home.

Miss Grace Lincoln, who is training at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Los Angeles, spent Friday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lincoln.

Miss Mary Anderson who is quite sick with pneumonia, is thought to be out of serious danger and is slowly recovering.

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Dated October 1st, 1909. First publication October 2nd, 1909.

ANNA E. GARRETT,
Administratrix of the estate of Benjamin F. Garrett, deceased.

A. M. PENCE, Attorney.

SUMMONS.

In the Justice's Court of Rowland Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California, Austin Warner, Justice.

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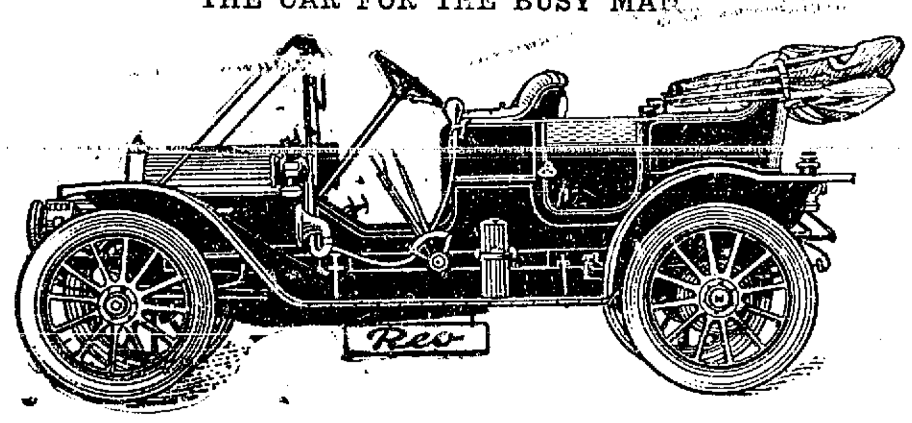

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ORDINANCE NO. 68.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF COVINA DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO IMPROVE A PORTION OF CITRUS AVENUE IN THE CITY OF COVINA.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Covina do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the public interest and convenience require, and that it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the City of Covina to order the following work to be done, to-wit:

1st. That Citrus Avenue, in the City of Covina, from the limits of said city on the north to the limits of said city on the south, including all intersections of streets (except the intersection of Center Street with Citrus Avenue, the right of way of the Southern Pacific Railway Company, and such portions of said avenue and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railway tracks thereon), be improved with crushed rock, crushed rock screenings and mineral oil, to the official line and grade, in accordance with the plans, profiles, cross sections and detail drawings for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of stid city, (such plans and profiles being No. P-104, and said cross-sections and detail drawings being No. C-106), and specifications for street improvements with crushed rock, crushed rock screenings and mineral oil in the City of Covina on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 4, and which said plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings and specifications are hereby referred to for more particular description of said work.

2nd. That a cement curb be constructed along each line of the roadway of said Citrus Avenue, from the limits of said city on the north to the limits of said city on the south, (except where cement or cobblestone curb has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, (said plans and profiles being No. P-104 and said cross-sections and detail drawings being No. C-106), and city specifications for cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 2, and which said plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings and specifications are hereby referred to for more particular description of said work.

3rd. That a cement gutter three and one-half feet in width be constructed along each line of the roadway of said Citrus Avenue from the limits of said city on the north to the limits of said city on the south across all intersecting streets and avenues and across the right of way of the Southern Pacific Railway Company), according to plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings for said work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, (said plans and profiles being No. P-104 and such cross-sections and detail drawings being No. C-106), and specifications for such work on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 6, which said plans, profiles, cross-sections, detail drawings and specifications are hereby referred to for more particular description of said work.

4th. That cement gutters seven (7) feet in width be constructed across all street intersections along each line of the roadway of said Citrus Avenue from the limits of said city on the north to the limits of said city on the south, (except intersections of Center street, San Bernardino Road and Badillo Avenue), to the dimensions shown and at the locations where shown on the plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, (said plans and profiles being No. P-104, and said cross-sections and detail drawings being No. C-106), according to said plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings, and specifications No. 6 for such work on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, which said plans, profiles, cross-sections, and detail drawings and specifications are hereby referred to for a more particular description of said work.

5th. That galvanized, corrugated iron culverts be constructed across the intersections of said Citrus Avenue with the San Bernardino Road and Badillo Avenue (except such portions of said intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railway tracks thereon), to the dimensions shown and at the locations where shown on the plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings and drawings for culverts for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, (said plans and profiles being No. P-104, said cross-sections and detail drawings being No. C-106, and said drawings for culverts being No. C-105), according to said plans, profiles, cross-sections and detail drawings, drawings for culverts, and specifications number 8 for such work on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, which said plans, profiles, cross-sections, detail drawings, drawings for culverts, and specifications are hereby referred to for a more particular description of said work.

Section 2. The Street Superintendent shall post notices of said work as required by law, and shall cause the same to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Covina Argus," a weekly newspaper published and circulated in the said City of Covina and hereby designated for that purpose.

Section 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance, and shall cause the same to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Covina Argus," a weekly newspaper published and circulated in the City of Covina and hereby designated for that purpose, and shall post the same conspicuously for two days on or near the Chamber door of the place of meeting of the Board of Trustees of said city, and thereupon and thereafter the same shall take effect and be in force.

The foregoing ordinance was adopted at an adjourned regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of Covina, held on the 25th day of March, 1910, by the affirmative vote of at at least three trustees, to-wit:

Ayes: Potter, Warner and Ratekin.

Noes: None.

Absent: Lahee, Moxley.

Signed and approved this 25th day of March, 1910.

C. W. POTTER,

President pro tem of the Board of Trustees of the City of Covina.

Attest: A. M. PENCE, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR THE VACATION AND ABANDONMENT OF THIRD STREET AND A ROAD IN ROWLAND ROAD DISTRICT, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, signed by Geo. E. Cross and nine others, praying for the vacation and abandonment of Third Street and a road in Rowland Road District, County of Los Angeles, State of California, has been filed with the Board of Supervisors of said county, and that said petition will be heard by said Board, at its office in the County Courthouse, City of Los Angeles, California, on Tuesday, April 19, 1910, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day. The streets sought to be vacated are described as follows:

Being a fifty foot road on the east side of the Hudson school lot, and a forty foot road on the north of the Hudson school lot, in the town of Puente; said fifty foot road extending north from the north line of Rowland street and said forty foot road extending east from the east line of Second street; said roads having been dedicated to the county by Albert Rowland by deed recorded in Deed Book the County Recorder of said county.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, California, made March 28, 1910.

C. G. KEYES,

County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said Los Angeles County.

By A. M. McPherron, Deputy Clerk.

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COVINA, CAL., APRIL 2, 1910.

Stanton a Practical Man.

Philip A. Stanton of Los Angeles, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, made it apparent, at a banquet given to him in Los Angeles on last Tuesday night by the Stanton "Boosters," that he bases his claim for preference with the voters purely and simply upon the record he made while serving four terms in the California legislature. That a man could be elected for four successive terms is something in his favor, but the record he made as a member of the committee on attaches and employees, as chairman of the committee on ways and means, and as speaker of the assembly, tells the whole story.

That record shows that Stanton is essentially a business man. He applied sound business methods to his legislative work, and the result was that not thousands, but millions, of dollars were saved to the taxpayers of the state through his individual efforts while he was a member of the legislature.

Mr. Stanton, in his Los Angeles speech, produced the evidence to prove this. It was characteristic of him that instead of going off into any flights of fancy regarding what he would do to redeem the state from the thralldom of the "machine," or telling about any dreams he might have had about saving the state from destruction while sitting on the front porch of his humble home, he showed how it is that California needs a business man, and not a dreamer of dreams, in the governor's chair at Sacramento. He got right down to practical horse sense, giving actual figures and real facts, to prove all that he claimed. And why would it not be a good idea to try a business-like administration in Sacramento, for once?

The Yeuell Revival.

The co-operative meetings which have been held in Covina for four weeks closed last night, but the evangelists remain here tonight for their "Ben Hur" lecture.

The Rev. Herbert Yeuell and his associates conducted the meetings on a high plane, above the ordinary in every respect. Though coming and working under the banner of the Christian Church, they strove to obliterate denominational lines and feelings. They leave the churches of Covina with a more friendly feeling for one another than has ever existed heretofore, even though our churches have always worked well together for the common good.

Although the place of the meetings has been well out of town, necessitating quite a long walk, our people turned out in large numbers to hear the evangelists. Especially has this been true on Sunday evenings, when other churches have closed their edifices to join with the Christian.

The lectures by Dr. Yeuell have been entertainments of merit and on these evenings the gatherings have been especially large.

Covina as a whole is glad to have had these people here and it appreciates the work done. The Christian people have done something worth while in giving us the best in this line of Christian advancement.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Albert Shearer yesterday afternoon. A large amount of business was transacted, after which Mrs. Coman gave a talk on parliamentary usages. April 15th will be parents-teachers' meeting, of which there will be a full account in the next issue of the Argus. [illegible] delegates will be elected to the County W. C. T. U. Convention which will be held at Whittier, April 20, 21, 22.

WOODMEN TO START ACTIVITY

Fraternal Organization Will Hold Open Meeting in Which to Boost.

Boost! Boost! is the slogan given out among the members of Covina Camp, No. 426, W.O.W., and every lodge man in the organization is following this direction. The contest between the Azusa camp and the Covina lodge has given rise to the proposed open meeting, which will take place on the evening of the eighth of April. It is to be understood that this will be unlike the regular gatherings of the lodge in that everyone is invited to attend and see what the fraternity is doing and what they propose to do. The doors of the A.O.U.W. hall will be thrown open to visitors and regular members at 7:30, and the remaining time until 10 o'clock will be given over to a prepared program consisting of music and speeches. It is understood that a string orchestra of merit has been secured for the occasion.

The contest between the Azusa and Covina camps, W.O.W., for members, that is to close in about three months, is stirring up a great deal of interest among the contending divisions of the lodge. At the close of the struggle, the losing camp will banquet the victor.

BASEBALL STARTS AGAIN.

"Covina Specials" Organized Under New Management With Slightly Changed Lineup.

Again the Citrus avenue grounds are to echo with the familiar crack of ball and bat, and the wild-eyed fan that for several weeks has been forced to content himself with newspaper treatment, will be allowed his weekly privilege of watching the great game at first hand.

The "Covina Specials" have come into being unded the management of Joe Coling. Some slight changes have been made in the lineup but as a whole the team will remain the same as played under the White Squadron uniform at the close of the last series of games. The National Lumber Company, a team that has played with some of the best middle-class aggregations in the city, will try conclusions with the local aspirants next Sunday on the Citrus avenue grounds.

Several old high school stars will be on the lineup for the locals, a fact that will add considerable interest to the contest. Kirby, the first sacker for the students, will play in his regular position with the specials. Daniels will perform on third base. Hull, the speedy twirler that pitched the team through a series of games up to the championship finals in the high school league, will be on the mound for the home team tomorrow. As it has been several weeks since the most of the bunch have played, it will not be suprising if they lose tomorrow's game, as the Lumber Company is reported as having trimmed some of the best of them.

Following is the lineup for both teams:

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Montague	cf	Collins
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Stewart	2b	Dorsch
Daniels	3b	Koehler
Middaugh	lf	Clarke
Deal	rf	Lenard
Daniels	c	Burden
Hull	p	Shonley
Coolman	p	

Subs—Smith, Scott.

School Elections.

The school elections held in the various grammar school districts comprising the Covina Union High School, passed off very quickly yesterday. The only contest occurred in the Irwindale district, where Mr. B. Miller was cut in favor of Mr. C. J. Hurst.

The vote over the entire district for trustees for the Covina Union High School district was as follows: C. S. Beardsley, 127; S. A. Stowell, 127; W. P. Watts, 127; G. D. Jennings, 127; B. Miller, 127; C. J. Hurst, 25. The five highest will compose the new board.

The newly elected trustees in the various grammar school districts are as follows:

Charter Oak—Tom Johnson and A. R. Bryan, bothofwhomreceived SIIR R. Bryan, both of whom received 14 votes.

Covina—W. P. Watts, 41 votes.

Vineland—W. H. Elwell, 14 votes.

Irwindale—Thos. Robbins, 21; W. E. Newton, 24; B. F. Maxsson, 21.

Among other bargains that we are offering our customers is a slightly used $375 guaranteed piano, just as good as new, for $265, on the easy [illegible] Covina Furniture Company.

Monday Afternoon Club

The usual large crowd was in attendance at this week's meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club to hear Mrs. Coman's lecture on current events.

The first subject discussed was "Which City Shall Have the Panama Canal Exposition of 1915?" The consensus of opinion was in favor of New Orleans, as more central geographically to large centers of population.

The experiments being made by the Secretary of the Interior on the nutritive value of cottonseed flour are interesting, showing the wonderful utilization of the by-products of cotton, petroleum and other commodities.

Mrs. Coman spoke of the terrible waste of fruit in California. In one day 1750 boxes of oranges were taken from an Ontario packing house and thrown in the wash. These might have been made into marmalade of fruit juice.

What will Roosevelt do when he comes home. Considering the tangle at Washington and the revolt against the machine which dominates Taft, will he make the fur fly?

We are watching the action of Mr. Hyatt, superintendent of the schools of California, who is visiting the schools and criticizing the architecture. He recommends more air and outdoor study. Most rooms should have two sides open. Here, this should reduce the fuel bill, as often in the morning the rooms are cold when it is warm outside, and our open-air children feel the oppression of artificial heat. Prof Hamilton of Pasadena is making use of the roof gardens.

Of literary interest was the autobiography of Jane Addams, the most prominent American woman of today, current in the American Magazine, also the life of Alice Freeman Palmer by Dr. Palmer.

The strike in Philadelphia, beginning with the motor car employees, spread to 75 trades, put 170,000 out of work at one time and occasioned a loss of $5,000,000 a day. There should be Federal or state laws to prevent this. In New Zealand such disputes are settled by a court of arbitration.

The Rockefeller foundation was next discussed.

The dispute between the House of Lords and the House of Commons was settled by the latter voting that they should be an elective body with only 80 members, instead of 580. That the country shall be divided into 80 districts, each of which shall elect three peers, of whom the king shall choose one.

In the Far East, England is working with Russia to obtain a southern outlet for the later, through Persia, into the Persian Gulf, so, backed by Russia, England will control the sea 100 years more. England is anxious over the friendliness of Japan and India, foretelling an alliance of yellow races against white.

Next week the art and travel section will make a study of Japan. Papers will be given by Mrs. Capron and Mrs. Shearer, and there will be interesting Japanese musical numbers.

Cooking as a Fine Art.

The enterprising manager of the Covina Valley Gas Company, Mr. W. A. White, must have been highly pleased with the appreciation shown by the women of Covina of his efforts to show them the culinary pleasures of cooking with gas.

The rear room of the gas office was transformed into a dainty dining room with napery, silver and china of the best, and tables wreathed with smilax and decked with pretty floral center pieces. A skilled demonstrator, Miss Anna Hickey, set forth the use of the "Reliable" range by baking feathery biscuits and cooking at the same time and with the same heat, tender steak by means of the broiler. Coffee was also served.

It was noted that in using the broiler, a generous amount of water should be put in the pan to prevent burning.

By using the range instead of a hot plate, a considerable reduction can be made in the gas bill, as the same heat can be utilized for several articles at once.

Those who have once used gas can never go back to the old laborious methods, and our local gas is of extra fine quality, burning with a clear blue flame and free from odor. In an interview Miss Hickey said: "I wish I could persuade all women that cooking is one of the finest of arts, to be accomplished with pleasure and not as an irksome duty to be rushed off at the last minute. To me, one spoilt dish in a good meal is like a discord in a piece of music. Mothers should have this work, so their daughters may [illegible]"

The [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] teachers were guests of honor and on Friday, the club women. A special demonstration for the lady bookkeepers of Covina was given from 8 to 9 on Wednesday evening.

Much interest was taken in the handsome combination steel range for wood and coal or gas "Miller's Champion."

Capt. S. S. Stowe, an experienced lecturer, gave a talk to the grammar school children Friday on "War—Causes and Results."

Two young boys, Wilbur Nye and Fred Burpee, shot a wildcat not far from the South Citrus avenue ball grounds, on Thursday evening.

Drive the rascals out.—NASH makes his own poison wheat and guarantees satisfaction. Full pounds, 25c.

FOR SALE

For Rent, Exchange, Lost, Found Miscellaneous.

ESTRAYS TAKEN UP—by the undersigned. One gray mare, 12 to 14 years old; one brown mare with four white feet, 10 or 12 years old. Owner can have same by paying costs and damages, and they can be found at my stable in Covina. WM. CLARK. March 31, 1910. 1tp

LOST—Between Puente and Lark Ellen and Fish canyon, a lady's black chatelaine bag. Contained small sum of money. Other articles of great value to owner. Reward for return to A. Wotkyns, phone 1062, Covina, corner Lark Ellen and P. E. Ry.

WANTED—Regular customers for fresh, clean alfalfa. In the field $10. Delivered, $12. Mrs. Rosa C. Clarke, phone 56; or M. H. Berry, phone 3167. Francisquito, near Orange Ave., Walnut Center. 4-23

Wanted—A gentle horse for general ranch work. What have you? May buy if satisfactory. F. A. Carpenter, Azusa, or call W. W. Campbell, phone 2098, Azusa exchange. 4-9

Ground oats at $30.00 per ton is the cheapest horse or cow feed on the market, merit considered. San Gabriel Valley Milling Co. 4-2

For Sale—Eggs for setting from thoroughbred White Minorcas, Black Minorcas and White Leghorns. Mrs. J. Wheeler, Cypress Ave. Phone 1098.

WANTED—5 or 10 acres of oranges, Covina, Azusa, Glendora district, near car line. Owners only. Address Box 347, Covina, giving price and terms. tf

FOR SALE—Good Jersey Cow; a good family cow. C. W. Speer, 1½ miles northeast of Covina, on Ben Lomá St. 1tp

WANTED—Room and board for a few weeks by lady; sleeping porch desired. Mrs. H. L. Guenther, 231 N. Ave. 21, Los Angeles. 1tp

Breeder of Barred Plymouth Rocks for 33 years. I will sell 13 chicks and hen for $5.00. Phone 2093. Lizzie Harnish. 4-2p

Try some ground oats for your chickens. San Gabriel Valley Milling Co. 4-2

For Sale—A good top buggy. Enquire of H. N. Wells, secretary Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—Aceteline gas plant in good condition. Call 316 Badillo St., Covina. Phone 234. 4-2p

For Sale—Turkey eggs and Union Lock poultry fence. R. C. Casad. Phone 1128.

FOR SALE—Head lettuce 2 for 5c. McLeod's garden, or leave orders at rooms over Chamber of Commerce. tf

For Sale—Horse and heavy rig, household goods, good as new. A bargain. A. Wead, Covina, Puente Road.

FOR SALE—Loose Alfalfa hay. Swallow Bros. Phone 2103, Covina. 4-9p-tf

For Sale—200 soft shell walnut trees, cheap. Phone W. J. B. Moor, Phone 1219. 4-16

Barley hay at the Hurst Ranch. Phone 166. tf

For Sale—Dry peach wood. Money to loan. Covina Realty Co.

FOR SALE—Fine drivingmare. Enquire of H. E. Lougheed, phone 2070. tf

We have money to loan on real estate. Phone 1039. Gail & Pence. tf

White Rock Eggs for Sale. $1.00 set of 15. Phone 2182. tf

Ground oats at $1.50 per sack. San Gabriel Valley Milling Co. 4-2

An incubator for sale cheap. Phone 1014. tf

Wanted—1200 pound work horse. Chas. Ridler, Covina.

Fresh cow for sale. [illegible] Phone 2166. Irwindale avenue. tf

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First Use Nash's White Pine and Tar Cough Syrup

Use this cough remedy first—don't tamper or experiment with so-called cough cures but try this combination of nature's own curatives—white pine and tar. Nothing better for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma, throat and lung trouble. Safe and sure to do the work. Best for all ages under all conditions.

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9x12 Axminster Rug	$18.50
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9x12 Tapestry Brussels	$10.50
9x12 Body Brussels	$25.00

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Sure thing—Nash's Laxative Cold Tablets.

Now on sale! Manila cigars (duty free). The Richelieu Barber Shop.

Charles F. Fingerle, Osteopathic Physician. Phone. 250. 1t

Try Manco Salmon. Horne's grocery.

Cigars by the box our specialty. Richelieu Barber Shop. tf

Vacuum cleaning. W. H. Wood. Phone 117, Azusa. tf

Chas. Reed of Modesto Park is visiting the family of H. M. Houser.

Wm. Neel of Ventura spent Friday and Saturday at the home of his friend, Hoyt Leisure.

Born, on Easter Sunday, March 27, to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sherwood, a daughter.

Mr. D. W. MacDonald has completely recovered from his recent illness and is hard at work again.

We still have a few more wicker rockers, iron beds, etc., left at greatly reduced prices. Brow & Son. tf

The Misses Ida McCreary and Helen Johnson of Los Angeles spent Monday with Miss Meta Brunjes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coman and family are much grieved at the disappearance of a valuable Black Persian cat.

Mrs. Will Lavayea entertained on Thursday her mother, Mrs. Ella Grow, and niece, Miss Ruth Grow, both of Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitsel and daughters and Mrs. Belcher of Indiana, were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Clifford.

WANTED—House work by the day or hour. Apply to Mrs. M. C. Sell, concrete block, W. Badillo street, between Citrus and Third Sts. 1tp

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heath and Messrs. Sturgis and Buss were dinner guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Coltrin.

Mr. Arthur Bowring and his wife leave today for England, via New York. They will be away about three months.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Buller of Los Angeles spent Wednesday with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Buller.

Mrs. Falconer and Mrs. Forrest and son of Vancouver were guests this week of their cousins, Mr. Robert Coulter and the Misses Coulter.

Mr. and Mrs. McAllen are going to Azusa tomorrow to help Mrs. Belle Harris with a sacred concert at the M. E. Church.

At a reception given by La Palma lodge of Rebekahs in Los Angeles, in honor of the Grand President, the following members of the Covina lodge were present: Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Burpee and Mrs. George Coolman.

Miss Evelyn Fletcher entertained with a dinner party Wednesday evening, the guests being the Misses Faulder, Burpee, Crook and Atwood. After dinner the young ladies attended the Isis and returned to the rectory later for a musical program.

Holy Trinity Church Guild met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. A. R. Evans. This afternoon they are the guests of Mrs. Belle Haris of Azusa.

Mrs. Marion Coltrin was the luncheon guest Wednesday of Mrs. Jack Cobb of Los Angeles.

We are making special prices on some fine fumed oak library tables for the coming week, correct in design and workmanship unsurpassed. Genuine fumed oak; not merely stained, but fumed.

Covina Furniture Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coolman left Thursday for Murietta Springs, where they will stay for some time. Mrs. Coolman has been suffering severely during the last few months with rheumatism, and they hope that the treatment will be beneficial to the health of both of them

Mrs. R. F. Coffin of Long Beach and her guest, Mrs. C. E. Coffin, of Longmont, Colo., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Atwood. On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Atwood entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dickens and daughter and Mrs. Conlehan, also of Colorado, who have come to Long Beach for the summer.

Mrs. L. M. Jefferies, sister of Mrs. J. H. Matthews, who is making a long visit with relatives in the Old Country, is enjoying a tour of Europe. She spent Good Friday at Rome, is to visit almost every country in Europe, and will witness the Passion Play at Oberammergau. Her health has been much benefitted by the change.

C. Fred Aschenbrenner, dentist.

Just the tonic you need for that tired feeling. Ask NASH.

Mound City Paints go farthest, wear longest, look best. Covina Hdwe. Co.

Spratt's sardines in oil, 10 cents. Horne's Grocery.

FOR SALE—Show cases. Brow & Son. 1t

Gasoline stoves cleaned and repaired. W. S. Sides. 1tp

At the Richelieu. Try our Aguay-Naba 5c cigar. The best of the best. Hesseltine & Lewis.

Ground oats, San Gabriel Valley Milling Co., an ideal feed. 4-2

W. B. Broadwell made a business trip to Hemet this week.

Little Willie Sherwood has returned home after spending a week with his aunt, Mrs. Rosa C. Clarke.

Miss Evelyn Fletcher is a guest today at a card party given in Los Angeles by Mrs. Skellenger.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Hesseltine were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Milner of West Cypress avenue.

Mrs. J. S. Tripp returned from Los Angeles, where she spent a few days with her daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Smith and baby were guests Sunday of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith.

The "Five Hundred" Club enjoyed a pleasant evening yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Douglass.

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The Rev. Alfred Fletcher received a birthday present yesterday of a cake containing a gold piece, from the women of the church.

Mr. N. D. Mussey spent Tuesday at Venice with Mark Conley on old Civil War comrade of the 5th Michigan Regiment, whom he had not seen since 1862.

Mrs. John Wilkins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Brunjes of Glendora. On Wednesday next she will leave to visit her son, A. J. Wilkins, of Highland.

Rev. Reynolds G. Carnahan and family of Conway Springs, Kansas, a brother of A. Carnahan, arived last Saturday morning at Covina. They expect to locate in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Vere Goldthwaite left Tuesday morning for New Orleans, where Miss Yaw has a concert engagement. They will be absent several weeks on an eastern tour.

Guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bemis were on Monday and Tuesday their nephew, Clyde Bemis, of Los Angeles, and on Wednesday, Mr. James Pool, a cousin of Mr. Bemis's, of San Francisco.

Herman Kring, son of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Kring of First street, has been home from school all the week and walking on crutches. Last Tuesday, while playing in the yard, he ran a pitchfork through his foot. The limb swelled badly and the doctor feared blood poisoning or lock-jaw might set in, but preventative remedies having been applied promptly, he is now out of danger.

Wednesday evening a most beautifully appointed dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wotkyns at their pretty bungalow home on Lark Ellen avenue in honor of Miss Mariette Davis, who returns to her home in Cincinnati, Ohio, in a few days. Low Indian baskets filled with wild yellow voilets were most effectively used on the table and about the rooms where the following Los Angeles guests were asembled: Miss Lillian Brown, Mr. Leslie Henry and Mr. Roy Ward.

The following is an extract from a letter received from Mr. Richard Draper of Liverpool, England, who resided in Covina many months: "I am afraid I won't be able to settle down here as I am already beginning to long for California again, so don't be surprised to see me pop up again some day. . . . We have had a terrible winter here this time; I have been almost frozen to death." Mr. Draper, who was [illegible] homesick for his English [illegible] and [illegible] Old Country left [illegible] [illegible] on the [illegible] Baltic.

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Mrs. E. E. Leech and Miss Ruth Leech of Los Angeles have been at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Covert for the past two weeks.

The news reached Covina of the death of Freeman A. Nason of Joliet, Ill., a cousin of Mrs. Jennings, and only brother of Mrs. F. A. Sherwood, who has been a frequent guest of Mmes. Plant and Jennings. Deceased died suddenly March 17 of neuralgia of the heart, though he was apparently in the best of health and had never suffered from heart trouble. He was a recent guest at the Jennings home and made many friends while in Covina. Joliet papers speak with deep sorrow of the loss of one of their most prominent and respected citizens. He was president of the Joliet National Bank, chairman of the high school board and held a number of political offices.

Homoepathic Physician.

Dr. L. W. Atkinson, of the Homoepathic school of medicine, formerly house physician of the Metropolitan Hospital, New York one of the largest hospitals in the world, and for twenty-five years a practitioner in the State of Maine, has opened offices in the Argus Block, adjoining the post-office.

The doctor has been a very successful and active professional man all his life. Like many others he has become captivated with the climate and other charms of this state, and he has come to Covina to make it his home. Within a few weeks he will be joined by his wife and four children and will take up their residence in the Taylor home, east of the city. Dr. Atkinson's office telephone is 204.

Church News

Worship at the Baptist Church: Bible-school, 9:45. Regular services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m.; topic, "Christ Our Teacher; leader, Mae Casey.

Christian Church: Bible-school, 10 o'clock. Special evangelistic services led by the pastor at 11 and 7:30. At the evening service the new members will be welcomed, and the ordinance of baptism will be administered. Endeavor, 6:30. Reception in honor of new members Wednesday evening.

Presbyterian services, April 4. Sunday-school, 9:45. Preaching by pastor, 11 a. m. The Easter service, both in sermon and song, repeated. Junior and Intermediate Endeavor, 6:30. Gospel service, 7:30; subject, "Christ, the Soul of Eternity." All most cordially invited.

Paul G. Stevens, pastor.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity—First Sunday after Easter: Holy Communion, 11 a. m.; subject, "Fashioned Like unto His Glorious Body." Evensong, 7:30 p. m.; subject, "The Need of Spiritual Resurrection." Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m. The services and music of Easter Day will be repeated.

At the Methodist Church The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. on 'Gethsemane" and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will follow. By request, the pastor will repeat at 7:30 the sermon delivered some little time ago, on "The Reality of Christian Experience." Other services of the day will be: Sunday-school, 9:15; Junior Epworth League at 3; Intermediate and Senior Epworth League 6:30. A cordial welcome awaits you at these services.

Harry W. White, pastor.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Austin Warner Justice of the Peace of Rowland Township, and Recorder for the City of Covina, was stricken with an attack of paralysis while in Los Angeles on Tuesday afternoon. The stroke came on without warning and occurred while Mr. Warner was walking on Hill street. The patrol wagon was called out before it arrived those who went to his assistance discovered by papers in his pocket, his name and adress and immediately communicated by telephone with his son, E. P. Warner, of the firm of Warner, Whitsel & Co.

The afflicted gentleman was brought home to his residence on the evening car. Although the entire right side is paralized, his physician, Dr. Jennings, has every hope that he will fully recover.

Mr. Warner is a veteran of the Civil War and was a prisoner for six months in Libby prison. He has always been an active business man, prominent in public affairs.

Mrs. W. W. Clark of Canton, Ohio, who was a friend of the late President McKinley, and her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Shanks, visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nye.

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ENGINEER'S IMPRESSIONS OF THE PANAMA CANAL

James D. Schuyler, Consulting Hydraulic Engineer, Tells From Personal Knowledge of the Work Done in Canal Zone

(Through the courtesy of Mr. James Dix Schuyler, the celebrated consulting engineer, who was appointed by President Roosevelt in December, 1908, to accompany President-elect Taft on a trip of inspection of the Panama canal, the Argus has been enabled to furnish to its readers, on this and succeeding weeks, his impressions of the work accomplished and still to be done by the United States government in the canal zone.

The report as published was recently read before the Engineer's and Architect's Association in Los Angeles on February 9, and we give it to our readers without abbreviation or change.)

(Continued from last week)

THE LOCKS.

To reach the level of the lake from the Atlantic side the vessels will ascend a flight of three steps, or marine stairs called "locks," which are to be built alongside the Gatun dam. These are to be built in duplicate, so that vessels may ascend on one side while others descend on the other at the same time. Each of the locks is to be 1,000 feet long by 110 feet wide in the clear. Including the wing and guard walls at each end, and the space occupied by the gates, the total length of the three-flight lock structure is almost one mile. The walls on the sides are to be very massive, and heavy enough to resist water pressure to their full height, which will be almost 100 feet. Each lock has to be provided with huge culverts and gates for quickly filling and emptying the compartment.

The operation of passing through the three locks with a vessel of ordinary size will probably not occupy over an hour. When this is accomplished the vessel may proceed under her own steam across Gatun lake and through Culebra Cut to the locks at the Pacific end. These are planned in two structures, the first step down, of 30 feet, being at the Pedro Miguel lock. Then, two miles further on, the other two steps, making a descent of 55 feet, will be in the locks at Miraflores. The total amount of concrete required for these locks is estimated at 4,347,000 cubic yards. Stream diversions and the spillways for dams will take an aditional 568,00 cubic yards. One can better appreciate these figures by comparing them with the new Croton dam in New York, which is the largest mass of masonry in the world, but it contains only 855,000 cubic yards. The Gatun locks will alone contain 2,096,000 cubic yards, or two and one-half times as much as the new Croton dam. The cement for this concrete work is to come from Pennsylvania, a contract for 4,500,000 barels having been let last year. The placing of concrete was begun in March, 1909, and by the last accounts was being placed in the spillway of the Gatun dam, in December, at the rate of over 1700 cubic yards per day, or say 500,000 cubic yards per annum. The rock for the concrete at Gatun will chiefly be obtained at a place called Porto Bello, 17 miles down the coast from Colon. A most expensive plant has been established here for quarrying and crushing rock on a gigantic scale. The plant is capable of crushing 2500 cubic yards of rock daily. The rock is handled by six steam shovels, 75 dump cars and 10 locomotives, to and from the crushers and it is conveyed by large barges to the Gatun dam.

The sand to be used on the Atlantic division is coming from Nombre de Dios, a little sea port still further down the coast, 35 miles from Colon. This place is the oldest settlement on the Isthmus, and was first discovered by Columbus, who entered both the ports of Nombre de Dios and Porto Bello in 1502. The sand supply to be had here is overlaid by a depth of several fet of soil which has to be removed to the extent of 289,00 cubic yards before getting at the 2,700,000 cubic yards of usable material mapped out by borings. To get at the sand with barges for transportation it has been necessary to dredge and blast out a channel at the mouth of the Fato river. While this was being prepared sand was brought to the Gatun dam from Chame, on the Pacific, some distance from Panama down the coast.

HYDRAULIC-FILL DAM AT GATUN.

The Gatun dam is being built of the [illegible] consisting dykes or levees, and the fine material composing the impervious core is dredged and deposited in the center between these dykes. At last accounts the dam across the main channel had reached a heighth of more than 36 feet. The slopes are built of rock from the Culebra Cut. The dam is to be 7,000 feet long on top, but is not of such great height as to present any very serious problems. There are several earth dams in California much higher; but as the entire canal system depends upon it, it was considered to be worth while to make it of unearthly large size and so, to relieve all possible anxiety, it had been planned so much larger and broader than any earth dam ever built before that it seemed absurdly huge. The toy is to be 30 feet above the water line (originally planned to be 50 feet above the water line but reduced 20 fet by the last commission), and it will be 100 feet wide at the crest, at a heighth of 115 feet above sea-level. The side slopes are to be 4 to 1 from the top down for 25 to 35 feet, flattened to 8 on 1, and again to 16 on 1, so that on the base the max- 2,059 feet. The foundation is of good solid impervious clay, and the best of material is being used to fill the dam. It will be as solid and permanent as the eternal hills, and no one need feel any alarm or uneasiness about the security of that dam. It will contain over 20,000,00 cubic yards when finished, which is ten times as much as the largest earth dam in existence.

A few engineers and others throughout the country have been misled by erroneous descriptions of the conditions prevailing in the foundation of the Gatun dam, or by the grossly exaggerated accounts of the land slips that have occurred in the new fills on the relocation of the Panama railraod, continue to criticise, and express lugubrious fears for the safety of the dam, insisting that a great mistake has been made in the adoption of the lock type of canal instead of the sea-level type, but I have never met an engineer or layman who, after having visited the site since the excavations, pits and borings were made, and became familiar with the actual conditions by personal observation, ever expressed any such doubts or fears.

TIME OF PASSAGE OF THE CANAL

"How long will it take ships to go through the canal?" has been asked. It is estimated that it need not take more than ten hours, although it is anticipated that ship masters will want to linger in the fresh water of the lake at least 48 hours to take advantage of the opportunity to get rid of the barnacles on the ship's bottoms, fill up the ships' tanks with fresh water, and take on supplies of fresh vegetables and fruits.

BREAKWATERS, HARBORS, ETC.

At the Colon end the Government engineers are planning to make a safe harbor by building three miles of stone jetties, or breakwaters, in two sections, with an entrance 1,000 feet wide between them. This work is like the San Pedro breakwater, only longer, and is estimated to cost $11,432,000, which is nearly four times the cost of our San Pedro breakwater. At the Panama end a mole, or dyke, three miles long extending from the shore at La Boca to Naos Island, in Panama Bay, has already been nearly completed from the spill brought from the Culebra Cut. This will afford protection for the canal from waves coming from an easterly direction across the line of the canal, and will form a protected harbor at La Boca, although but little protection is neded on the Pacific side of the Isthmus.

PLANT USED ON THE WORK.

To accomplish work on a large scale always requires an extensive plant of tools and general equipment. There is probably no place in the world whereon such an enormous plant has been assembled. The accounts show it has cost, to April 30, 1909, the hunge total of $38,750,489, which includes, of course, the Panama railroad improvements. This road is made the principal means of conveying the spoil from the great cut and dumps, and it is said to be doing a heavier freight business than any other piece of railroad of equal mileage in the world. Since the Americans took hold they have not only double tracked the road, but practically rebuilt it on a new location to avoid the Gatun lake and the canal [illegible] of the items of the plant sent down from the United States and now in service are the following:

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Besides the dredges I have mentioned, which are all quite new, they are using a number of old ladder dredges, of Belgian and Scotch manufacture, used by the French. They are doing excellent work. One of them was in charge of a Frenchman who told me he had been at work on the canal for 25 years, almost continually dredging. The total number of dredges reported as working in May was 16, or eight on the Atlantic end and the same number on the Pacific. Six of these are of the suction type; seven of the ladder type; two of the dipper type, and one of the orange-peel type. In May last these dredges removed a total of 1,535,890 cubic yards.

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Theatrical Notes

"The Garden of Lies."

The "Garden of Lies," George Broadhurst's romantic play is one of the unqualified successes of the theatrical year as played by Lewis S. Stone and the others of the Belasco company. It provokes a vast amount of enthusiastic praise from audiences that have nightly tested the seating capacity of the Belasco since the first performance. It was an almost foregone conclusion, even before the initial presentation, that this newest of Broadhurst efforts would occupy the Belasco stage for more than the usual week allotted to a stock company production and hence the managerial announcement that seats for "The Garden of Lies" are on sale for three weeks in advance was not very much of a surprise.

Seldom has any stock company offered such a wholly delightful play as "The Garden of Lies" and even more seldom has any theatre, locally or otherwise, provided such a series of rare stage pictures as Artist Brunton has furnished for the Broadhurst piece. The second and fourth acts of "The Garden of Lies" represent the very ultimate achievement in scenic splendor and magnificence and really fine as have been some of Brunton's previous stage settings,those provided for the current Belasco attraction are easily the best this supurlatively good artist has ever painted.

"The Garden of Lies" has unquestionably answered the query as to whether the theatre going public cares for the romantic drama. In the case of the Broadhurst play romance, adventure, comedy and sentimental interest are combined in such a fashion as to make a thoroughly charming recital of the love of a young soldier of fortune for a beautiful princess and the effectiveness of the play is heightened, so far as the average play-patron is concerned, by the outcome of the tale, when the gallant and brave Dennis Mallory walks off the stage with the Princess Eleanor as his promised bride. Mr. Broadhurst has made a few slight changes, condensations they really are, in the first and last acts; otherwise "The Garden of Lies" is now being played at the Belasco and will be given in New York in the fall exactly as the piece was presented Monday night.

In no role since he came to the Belasco has Lewis S. Stone found better opportunities for rarely good acting than in the chief role in "The Garden of Lies," while Florence Oakley's return to the Belasco stage is made in a part in which she fully realizes every ideal of the dramatist's creation. The great ovation that was accorded to Miss Oakley Monday night was a very tangible proof of the high esteem in which this brilliant young actress is held by the Belasco patrons.

Florence Roberts at the Auditorium.

Much interest is being manifested in Miss Robert's new comedy,"Gloria," in which she will appear on Monday evening, April 4th the second week of her engagement at the Auditorium. It was written by James Barnard Fagan, a young master of arts from Dublin, who has been doing quite a lot of notable magazine work, and some good dramatic bits in London during the last five years. "Gloria" is a romatic comedy set in Florence in the sixteenth century. Only the shadowy background at all touches the intrigue of that epoch. The foreground is full of sprightly comedy in which Gloria Cappor, a vivacious, high strung, imperious young Italian beauty of the court, flouts and circles all admirers with continuous comedy results. Three of them, the most adventurous, are sent their several ways to utter humiliation. The worst victim of all, at least the most humiliated, is a stalwart young Englishman, who, though perhaps slightly slow-witted, after the traditional example, is very much "man for a' that." This young officer, Sir Philip Lilley, decides to requit her topay her back in her own coin for the outrageous prank that has made him the laughing stock of the town. With masterful shrewdness he hits upon a device calculated to insure her embarrassment equal to his own. He decides to whip her, and this he does roundly and in the first corner of the first room at their first encounter after the decision has been made. A daring device no doubt, but it turned out in this case to be sincerely effective, for the imperious beauty is at once humbled and so far acquired a new and more rational sense of precaution that eventually, with slow but beautiful yielding, she falls in Sir Phillip's arms, acknowledging him her master and lord.

Miss Roberts has in "Gloria" a delightful comedy role, one of which you may be sure she will not let that there is and more too, and we hope

porting company is an exceptional one. Tickets are now selling at the Auditorium box office.

The Lion and the Mouse.

In selecting Charles Klein's forceful and tremendously popular American play, "The Lion and the Mouse," as next week's attraction at the Burbank theater, Manager Oliver Morosco has imposed upon his new leading woman, Miss Marjorie Rambeau, a test which, passed successfully, should place her in the very forefront of stock leading women the country over. Miss Rambeau's wonderful artistry in "Merely Mary Ann" has been the talk of the town daring the past fortnight, and her associates on the Burbank stage, who have witnessed her rehearsals in the character of Shirley Rossmore in the Klein drama, predict for her a triumph no less marked when that play is first revealed to Burbank audiences Sunday matinee.

The cast includes all of the Burbank favorites, with the single exception of A. Byron Beasley, who will enjoy a brief vacation, his first in many months. The play is announced for the week with the usual Sunday and Saturday matinees.

"The Prince of Tonight."

Abounding with witty lines, catchy music, pretty girls and elaborate stage settings, "The Prince of Tonight," the latest of musical comedies from the Princess Theater, Chicago, will be seen at the Majestic beginning tomorrow evening, with the usual matinees. It will serve to introduce Henry Woodruff, last sen here in the star part of "Brown of Harvard," and will also be Mr. Woodruff's first appearance in Los Angeles as the head of a musical organization. The play is by Adams, Hough and Howard," who have written a number of successes, such as "Stubborn Cinderella," "The Flirting Princess," "The Goddess of Liberty," and "Miss Nobody from Starland." The play deals with the adventures of a poor college boy who accepts the position as life saver at Palm Beach, and who falls in love with one of the richest heiresses there, but on account of his social position she refuses him. Through the aid of an old gardener and the blooming of a century plant he becomes prince of Lunatania, the mythical country of the moon, for one night, with the condition if he is not kissed by the girl he loves he will die at dawn. Messrs. Adams and Hough have written many complications and developed a great number of ludicuous situations, but, of course, in the end everything ends happily.

Joseph Howard has written a number of song hits, those that are of the whistling order being, "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now," "Her Eyes are Blue for Yale," "You're a Dear Old World After All," "I Can't be True so Far Away," and "Can This be Love?" Manager Singer has surrounded Mr. Woodruff with a capable acting company of over seventy people, among whom are Miss Ruth Peebles, late prima donna with Henry W. Savage, Lillian Pleasant, Margaret McBride, Mr. Arthur Aylesworth, John C. Leach, Joseph Neimeyer, Lew Lawson, Edward Beck and the famous chorus from the Princess Theater, Chicago. The piece is in three acts and no expense has been spared in giving it a magnificent production.

High School Items

Among the visitors of the past week were Alice Atwood, Myra Burpee and Vyvyenne Faulder, all of the class of '09, who are attending Normal. Easter vacation at Normal took place the past week.

The school debating society held a session last Friday, March 25th, upon the question, "Resolved, That the municipalities in the United States should own and operate plants for light, water and transportation." The negative, represented by Ray Kistler and Ruth Arthur, won from their opponents, Elmo Conley and Margaret Pattee, by a close score. The society is proving valuable as a means of securing debaters to carry on the work of debating next year.

Strange things happen sometimes. The day after I wrote the Item asking why the work on the tennis court was not being commenced, two carpenters started to work putting up the necessary appliances for playing. And the worst of it is, that they commenced work two days before the Item was published. Oh, well, such [illegible] the ler We [illegible] This week I cannot tell at present and the court looks very

nifty and is ready for games.

There is more than one kind of revival going on in Covina. School spirit is actually reviving. A short time ago I feared that it would be entirely dead ere long, but now it is commencing to revive. The students are supporting the athletic work in an unprecedented manner, and helping in other lines of school activities as they have not done since the opening of the school year. Keep up the good work, students, and we'll get some old-time school spirit in the new building yet.

Covina High won from the Ontario aggregation on the home diamond last Saturday to the tune of 9 to 6. The game was snappy, and well played throughout. The boys are improving, and it looks is if we were going to be able to pick a winning team from among the bunch yet.

Prof. McFarlane, in charge of the commercial department, had the misfortune to be ill a few days during the past week but at the present time is in his usual state of good health.

Stop! Look! Listen! The Junior vaudeville show is coming! To use a press agent's words, this show is guaranteed to be "the greatest aggregation of flourishing femininity, the classiest collection of care-dispelling comedy, and the greatest absolutely unique performance of fun and frolic ever seen" in Covina High School. Watch and wait. The great event will soon occur.

ARTHUR BIXBY.

Obituary.

Mrs. Hester B. Morton died at the home of her son, J. C. Morton, at Azusa, March 27, thus closing a life of more than 81 years.

She was born in Kentucky, near Louisville, March 4th, 1829. She and her husband came to Azusa four years ago, where they lived happily together until her husband was summoned a few months ago, since which time the aged wife has thought more of the world beyond than of this, and said a few days previous to her departure, "I want to go to heaven, where my loved one is." She never complained once during her illness, although suffering greatly toward the end. She would look up when unable to speak and smile. She was a woman of happy disposition and warm, generous heart. She was devoted to her children and grandchildren and her home. She loved God and the church for which Christ died, and not many weeks ago was at the Christian of which she was a faithful member, and walked down the aisle on crutches. Her face beamed with heavenly joy as she listened to the sermon and partook of the Lord's supper.

A simple funeral service was conducted at her son's home. The speaker was W. S. Utter, who paid high tribute to the aged sister whom he had known so well for nearly four years. The beautiful casket was literally a bank of flowers brought in by friends. Beautiful songs were wafted above the flowers to the Father of all, where the spirit has returned to the God who gave it.—Contributed.

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When the Overwrought Worker Cuts Loose From Care.

When a business man suffers from overstrain or a student from overwork sometimes, instead of taking to bed, he disappears. Suddenly he is missing, all trace of him lost. His family and friends invariably fear the worst. They imagine he has met with accident and is lying unconscious in a hospital or has parted with his wits and is confined in an asylum or has even taken his own life.

These things are all possible, but the probable thing is none of them. The probable thing is that the overwrought man has yielded to a natural impulse and instinctively has sought a cure by becoming a wanderer for the time. He has put the cares of the old life behind him and with them the people that recall the old life and has given himself up to the healing of the road. To drift with no well defined object, to see strange places and faces, ever to answer the call of the beyond—"die ferne," as the Germans call it—is more than a dream lying somewhere in the back of every man's mind, where it was lodged by some ancestor of the nomad period; it is one of nature's own remedies for the worries of life.

For the man with a great sorrow, for the man with a troubled conscience, for the man whose nerves are not treating him right, travel, change of scene, is one of the things the wise physician will prescribe. If it be a veritable tramp afoot the cure will be speedier and more complete and may work physical regeneration into the bargain.—New York Mail.

A FLOWER AND A WISH.

The Romantic Marriage of De Lesseps of Suez Canal Fame.

Sir Henry Brackenbury tells in Blackwood's Magazine the story of the romantic marriage of M. de Lesseps. A Frenchman living in Reunion was compelled by the illness of his wife to take her to France. He sailed with his wife and two young daughters, but the wife died on the voyage. Some time afterward the Frenchman called on M. de Lesseps, told him of his misfortunes and of his sufferings on the long sea voyage and expressed the wish to dedicate the remainder of his life to the furtherance of the construction of the Suez canal. De Lesseps gave him an appointment at Ismailia, and employment was found in one of the workshops there for his daughters.

One day De Lesseps' attention was attracted by these two girls, with whom he entered into conversation. He came again next day and gave to each of them a flower, saying that they should frame a wish the last thing at night and that if in the morning they found that the flowers had opened the wish would be granted.

On the following morning he went to their house and found one of the girls smiling, the other in tears. He asked the cause of the latter's sadness.

"My flower has not opened," she replied.

"Tell me your wish, so that if possible it may be granted," responded M. de Lesseps.

"Ah, to you least of all men I can tell it!" was her answer. The great engineer married her.

Chinese Dramatic Crudities.

Here is a sample of one of the naive bits of Chinese stage craft. Hom Ling, leading tragedian, playing the part of the younger son, renders a solo which means that the widow and orphans are going to the temple to celebrate funeral rites. The property man sets on the stage a little box for an altar and throws over the widow's head a white veil, symbol of mourning. Then Hom Ling, as the younger son, waves his hands and kicks his foot like a man punting a football. This signifies that the rest of the family is out of his sphere of action. The scene has officially changed from a house to a temple. So, while the rest of the family kneels before the altar, Hom Ling strolls over and chats with one of the musicians who happens to be resting. —Everybody's Magazine.

What Forty Poles Make.

A good story is told about a certain professor whose business it was to lecture to a number of students on surveying. During one of the lectures the professor said that in his opinion the pole was of little or no value. To the astonishment of those present a Polish gentleman arose and after accusing the professor of insulting his countrymen demanded an apology.

The professor thereupon explained that the pole to which he referred was merely a term of measurement. The Polish gentleman, seeing his mistake, asked the professor to forgive his apparent rudeness. To this the professor smartly replied:

"You could not be rude, sir, even if you tried, for it takes forty poles to make one rood!"—London Mail.

The Amazon River.

Although not the largest or longest river, the Amazon is the most wonderful river in the world, with a mouth 150 miles in width and with a force of water that repels or at least overlays the ocean to a distance of more than fifty leagues. Yet in spite of the weight of the river the tide makes its influence felt for 500 miles from the coast. The easterly trade winds blow almost invariably upward, so as to be ready to help the vessel against the adverse currents.

In Disguise.

"Do you mean to say the [illegible] with [illegible] wife [illegible] the

A Timely Tip To Travelers about Eastern Excursions

From Covina and other points from which such fares apply, round trip tickets will be sold by Southern Pacific via direct lines, as follows:

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Atchison and Leavenworth, Kan., Council Bluffs and Pacific Junction, Ia., Kansas City and St. Joseph, Mo., Omaha, Neb.	$ 60.00
Chicago, Ill.	72.50
St. Louis, Mo., and Memphis, Tenn.	67.50
New Orleans, La.	67.50
Houston and Mineola, Texas	60.00
Baltimore, Md., and Washington, D. C.	107.50
Boston, Mass.	110.50
New York, N. Y., and Philadelphia, Pa.	108.50
Montreal, Canada	108.50
Duluth, Minn	79.50
St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn.	73.50
Toronto, Canada	95.70

Other cities in proportion.

The above fares apply only via direct routes—through San Francisco and Ogden, through El Paso or through New Orleans.

For tickets one way via Shasta Route and Portland fares will be $24.50 higher from Los Angeles.

DATES OF SALE

To Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Washington, New York and Boston, April 6, 7, 8, 1910, and to all points named above, on May 11, 12, 13, 14, 25, 26, 27, June 2, 3, 4, 24, 25, 26, 30, July 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 25, 26, 27, August 1, 2, 3, 4, September 1, 2, 3, 11, 12, 13, 14.

GOING AND RETURN LIMITS

Going transit limit of all tickets will be fifteen days to final Eastern destination and return limit three months after date of sale, but not exceeding October 31, 1910.

Exception—On tickets to Atlantic Coast points, sold in May and June in connection with tickets to Europe, return limit will be four months, but not exceeding October 31, 1910.

STOPOVERS

Stopovers will be allowed on going trip, within transit limit, at any point outside California as far East as Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans, etc., and on return trip at any point up to original starting point.

In addition to foregoing regular excursions will be reduced fares for various

CONVENTIONS

New Orleans—Mystic Shrine. Fare $67.50.
Sale dates, April 6, 7, and 8.
On same dates tickets will be sold, good via New Orleans if desired, to St. Louis at $67.50; Chicago, $72.50; Washington and Baltimore, $107.50; Philadelphia and New York $108.50; Boston, $110.50.
Cincinnati—Women's Clubs. Sale dates May 2 and 3.
Boston—N. E. A. Sale dates June 24, 25, 26.
Saratoga Springs—B. Y. P. U. Sale dates June 30, July 1, 2, 3.
Detroit—B. P. O. E. Sale dates July 4, 5, 6.
Milwaukee—K. of P. Sale dates July 25, 26, 27.
Atlantic City—G. A. R. Sale dates Sept. 11, 12, 13, 14.
Fares for above named Conventions may be obtained from any Southern Pacific ticket agent as soon as decided upon.

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Annual Meeting of the First Presbyterian Church.

Fully one hundred and fifty members of the Presbyterian Church assembled at 6:30 Thursday evening in the social hall. After partaking of the bountiful repast, which the ladies of the church had prepared, the congregation was called to order by B. L. King, president of the board of trustees. The meeting opened with prayer by the pastor, Rev. Paul G. Stevens, after which the reports of the various departments of the church work were given. In every respect these showed a marked gain over those of last year. The live condition of the church spiritually and the faithful work of the pastor was evidenced by the report of the gain in membership, which reached almost the half hundred mark during the past year. The report of the treasurer showed that all the bills had been met and the various boards generously supported.

The following elders and trustees were elected:

Elders—J. B. Raymond, W. P. Nye, O. G. Church, G. Morris.

Trustees—B. L. King, H. L. Hulce, J. W. Armstrong, J. M. Smith, Dr. Edw. Kaiser, W. W. White, W. B. Gammil.

With this splendid body of elders and trustees the church looks forward to great things for the coming year.

GOOD WORK BY THE CITY SEALER.

He Prevents Butchers Giving Short Weights and Arrests Department Stores for False Advertising.

The city sealer of weights and measures has caused the arrest of one or two down town butchers who advertised meats very cheap and then gave the customer short weight. They were found guilty and paid their fine. He also fined the Broadway Department store for false advertising and the fine was paid. This was in the drug department and only about one-half of the amount was given that was advertised. City Sealer Green said that in overhauling the yard measures that every one had to be changed and that most of them were short. [illegible]

Pasadena Wins Debate.

Covina High School's third league debate of the year occurred Friday evening, April 1st in the High School auditorium, before a crowd which completely filled all available space. The question of the evening was, "Resolved, that the United States should adopt the Oklahoma system of guarantee of bank deposits." Covina High upheld the affirmative, and was represented by Wilbur Miller and Albine Power.

The judges, Prof. Perry of Los Angeles High School, Prof. Charles Sheldon of Harvard Academy and Prof. Solomon of Citrus High School, after a long session awarded the debate to Pasadena, 202 points being allowed, while Covina received 188 points.

Pasadena High now has the highest score in the league, and is entitled to compete, probably with Los Angeles High, for the championship of Southern California in debating. The fight was hard and spirited, yet fair and square throughout and the winning school is to be congratulated for her success. A large number of Covina's loyal alumni were present, and helped greatly with songs and yells.

Marriage of Local Interest.

Word was received on Sunday of the marriage of Mr. R. B. Fairly to Miss Emma Ferguson of Alhambra, which occurred in San Rafael on Saturday.

The groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Fairly of this city, and is employed by the Kellog Switchboard Co., at Oakland, Cal., and was formerly with the Home Telephone Company of this place.

The bride was a well known music teacher of Alhambra.

Musical Program Repeated.

Owing to the inclement weather last Sunday, the choir of Holy Trinity Church will repeat the Easter music tomorow, in response to many requests.

"Christ, Our Passover" by Schilling will be rendered both in the morning service and at evensong. Mr. Wells will sing, "The Trumpet Shall Sound," from the "Messiah," for the morning offering, and a special number will be given in the evening song service.

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FAREWELL LECTURE TONIGHT.

Dr. Herbert Yeuell Will Close Labors Here With Presentation of Ben Hur.

For four weeks Covina has been stirred by the words of one of America's foremost evangelists. No revival in the city has ever drawn such throngs of interested hearers, and the effect of the plain gospel teaching will be long felt in our midst. Many have come out to confess Christ, and the churches of Covina will be greatly strengthened by the work of the revival.

The high order of talent and the simple methods of D. Yeuell and his helpers have won the hearty approval of all who have attended the revival. The appeal has been constantly to the intelligence of the hearers, and there has been no resort to cheap or sentimental tactics.

One of the most commendable features of the meeting has been the harmonious co-operation of the members of the different churches in a great work.

The friends and admirers of Dr. Yeuell will have one more opportunity to hear him tonight in Lew Wallace's famous story of "Ben Hur." This is the most popular lecture of the eloquent evangelist, and gives him a wonderful opportunity for his graphic powers of description, which have been a marvel to those who have listened to him from night to night.

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It is expected that a large concourse will pack Citrus Tabernacle tonight and help in doing honor to the splendid evangelists, who have labored so faithfully for the good of the whole community.

All of the services of the Christian Church tomorrow will return to their accustomed place in the church, and the pastor and members are preparing for widespread evangelistic meetings morning and evening, when new members will be welcomed. A reception [illegible] will be held [illegible] Thursday morning.

AUTO CAMPAIGN

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ciated by Theodore Roosevelt, for everybody. It is simple, but it will be hard for anyone to pick it to pieces, and Stanton points to his record during four terms in the legislature to prove that he can consistently stand on such a platform. The business methods Stanton applied when he was chairman of the Ways and Means committee of the house prove that he would handle the affairs of state in a way to save millions of dollars to the people.

HIGHWAY STRAIGHT

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nue to Tropico, is under construction.

A short stretch of the Foothills boulevard has been closed to travel in the vicinity of Lordsburg.

The Eagle Rock road, betwen Glendale and Annandale Golf Club, is soon to be improved.

Bridges are being built on the San Fernando road across the Tejunga Pass. The tunnel and regrade construction is under way at Newhall Pass. The San Fernando road from Los Angeles to Burbank will be closed all summer. This may interfere with the Baldy race.

Long Beach boulevard is being graded and the crossing on American avenue is difficult.

Two Ranches Sold.

D. W. MacDonald, local representative for Edwards & Wildey, reports the sale this week of two ranches.

Ten acres near Walnut Center, the property of S. S. Scott, to C. A. Bunker of San Dimas. The place is planted to walnuts and alfalfa. Consideration, $4,800.00.

Five acre young orange grove on Rowland avenue, the property of C. A. Zellner to Leo Stearns. The grove is planted to three year old Valencia trees and there is a small residence on the property. Consideration, $5,000.00. The new purchaser will enlarge the house and take up his residence on the place.

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given that a General Municipal Election will be held in the City of Covina, California, on Monday, the eleventh day of April, 1910, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city to-wit: Two members of the Board of Trustees, a City Clerk, a City Marshall, a City Treasurer. The polling place for such election will be the A. O. U. W. Hall, Corner of Citrus and Badillo Avenues, and the polls will be open from six o'clock a. m. to six o'clock p. m.

A. M. PENCE, City Clerk.

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

Under the State Law a new Registration of Voters has to be made every even numbered year.

All voters must register prior to July 27, 1910 and must have declared the political party with which they intend to affiliate (as provided in Sec. 1366a Political Code) who desire to vote at the primary election to be held August 16th, 1910.

If you do not register and so state your party affiliation you cannot vote at the primary election at which all State and County officers will be nominated

4-9 C. G. KEYES, County Clerk.

H. N. Wells, local registration clerk for Covina city and Covina precinct. Office, Chamber of Commerce.

Pacific Electric Time Table.

Leave Covina	Leave Los Angeles
*5:50 a.m.	5:45 a.m.
6:50	6:30
7:30	*7:10
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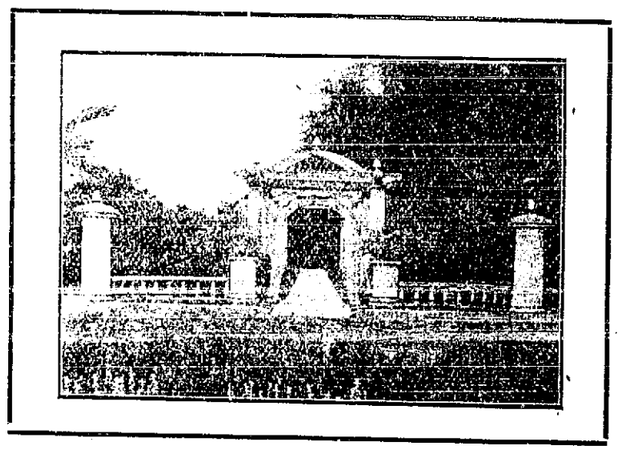

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